

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA)

UTAH

FAST FACTS

International students contributed an estimated **\$145.5 million** to the Utah economy in the 2009–2010 academic year.

Higher Learning

1. Brigham Young University 2. University of Utah
3. Utah State University 4. Utah Valley University
5. Salt Lake Community College

Utah colleges and universities with the most foreign students.

1. South Korea 2. China 3. India 4. Mexico 5. Canada

Leading places of origin for foreign students in Utah during 2009–2010.

621

citizen diplomats in Utah volunteered to host international students, scholars, and visitors in their homes and communities.

172

citizens of foreign countries participated in ECA's academic, youth, professional, and cultural exchange programs in Utah.

162

Utahns participated in ECA's academic, youth, professional, and cultural exchange programs in foreign countries.

Notable ECA Alumni

Rob Bishop

U.S. Representative from Utah's 1st District, 2003–Present
(*American Council of Young Political Leaders* 1984)

Jackie Biskupski

Member, Utah House of Representatives (District 30), 1999–Present
(*American Council of Young Political Leaders* 2000)

Loretta Tofani

Pulitzer Prize for Investigative Reporting, 1983 (*Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program* 1983)

Jen Seelig

Member, Utah House of Representatives (District 23), 2006–Present
(*American Council of Young Political Leaders* 2007)

Mark Strand

Pulitzer Prize in Poetry, 1999
(*Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program* 1965; 1960)

Wallace Stegner

Pulitzer Prize in Fiction, 1972
(*Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program* 1963)



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